

**AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT:**

Please amend the Abstract as follows:

An enclosure ~~(1)~~ is formed of an outer case ~~(2)~~ and a lid ~~(3)~~. The outer case ~~(2)~~ includes a first projecting strip portion ~~(7)~~ provided on a top face side of the outer case ~~(2)~~ and on an outer peripheral portion ~~(5)~~ defining an opening ~~(4)~~, and extending to project outwardly from the outer case ~~(4)~~, and the lid ~~(3)~~ includes a second projecting strip portion ~~(10)~~ provided at a position facing the first projecting strip portion ~~(7)~~. With the opening ~~(4)~~ of the outer case ~~(2)~~ closed with the lid ~~(3)~~, the first and second projecting strip portions ~~(7, 10)~~ make close contact with each other along a direction in which these portions extend. This structure can protect the inside from an external factor such as rainwater or dust.